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(c) what was the total amount of loss sustained by non-officials as shown by the statement or applications referred to in clauses (a) and (b) (i) by Hindus, (ii) by Mappillas and (iii) by Europeans, respectively; and

(d) what amount of compensation for such losses has been paid by the Government (i) to officials, (ii) to non-official Hindus, (iii) to non-official Mappillas and (iv) to non-official Europeans?

A.—(a) The Government have no information regarding the action taken by the Military authorities. Statements of losses incurred by officials have been called for by the Civil authorities and have been disposed of.

(b) Yes.

(c) The Government have no information.

(d) As regards officials, the attention of the hon. Member is invited to the answer to Question No. 362 given in November 1922. Since that date, the Government have sanctioned the payment of further sums amounting to Rs. 48,626 to village officers and other Government servants. No compensation has been paid to non-officials; but they have been granted relief in the shape of loans.

The number of Mappilla convicts that died in jail.

105 Q.—MR. K. UPPI SAHIB: Will the hon. the Home Member be pleased to state—

(a) the number of Mappillas imprisoned in connexion with the rebellion who died in jail (1) during the year 1921, (2) during the first half of the year 1922, (3) during the second half of the year 1922 and (4) during 1923;

(b) what were the diseases of which they died showing how many died of each of those diseases; and

(c) whether the corpses of the Mappillas who died in jail were given to the Muhammadans of the locality for burial according to the Muhammadan religion and, if so, how many corpses were so given to the Muhammadans and whether the rest were buried according to Muhammadan religion or not?

A.—(a) (1) 57; (2) 606; (3) 323; and (4) 184.

(b) Cholera 22; dysentery 293; pulmonary tuberculosis 48; other tubercular diseases 22; malarial fever 27; pneumonia 151; gastro enteritis 25; enteritis 194; cerebro spinal fever 29; influenza 111; smallpox 8; ankylostomiasis 55; and other diseases 185.

(c) 325 corpses of Mappilla prisoners were given to the Muhammadans of the locality for burial and the rest were buried in jails according to Muhammadan religion.

Medical College.

Fees of students in the Medical College.

106 Q.—MR. S. SATYAMURTI: Will the hon. the Minister for Local Self-Government be pleased to state—

(a) whether the fees of the students of the Medical College, Madras, are to be raised from July 1924, and, if so, by how much; and